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Himanshu S. Amin**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re patent application of:

Applicant(s): Amit Mital, *et al.*

Examiner: Scott L. Jarrett

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Title: SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR MODELING BUSINESS WORKFLOW
PROCESSES EMPLOYING A SCHEDULER USER INTERFACE

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REPLY TO INTERVIEW SUMMARY DATED AUGUST 23, 2005

Dear Sir:

This interview summary is in response to a telephone interview between Examiner Scott Jarrett and applicants' representative, James Pingor. Applicants' representative thanks the Examiner for the courtesies extended during the telephonic interview on August 23, 2005. The Examiner was contacted to resolve issues with respect to inventorship and inventive entity regarding the cited art. The Examiner requested that applicants' representative assert that certain aspects of the cited art are the applicants' own work and was

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not available more than one year prior to the effective filing date of March 6, 2001. The Examiner also agreed to review proposed amendments, and applicants' representative looks forward to discussing such amendments

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Respectfully submitted,

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